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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed July 18, 2002, please
amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend claim 23 as follows:

C/ -- 23. (Three times Amended) A method comprising:
compressing a source medical image at a first compression
level at a first location;
transmitting the compressed medical image to a remote view
station at a second location for display;
receiving at the first location region information separate
from a decompressed medical image from the remote view station,
said decompressed medical image generated from the compressed
medical image at the remote view station, wherein the region
information defines a region of the decompressed medical image;

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